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 In re Application of Atty. Docket  
 MICHAEL A. EPSTEIN PHUS 010313  
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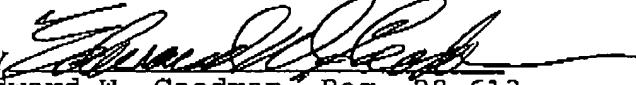
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of One (1) month to respond to the Office Action mailed on July 29, 2005; because of this extension the time period for response will expire on November 29, 2005. Filed herewith is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1270 in the amount of \$120.00, the fee for this extension; and charge any additional fees except for the Issue Fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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